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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

NOTE

1. The reply filed on 11/15/2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

It is noted that the *entire* amendment filed 11/1/2005 has not been entered. While Applicant's amendment filed 11/15/2005 corrects the requirement that Abstract must be presented on a separate sheet, Applicants omission of refiling the remaining amendment is non-responsive. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

2. In passing, the Examiner notes that, upon further consideration, Applicant's un-entered Declaration (filed 11/1/2005) appears to be inadequate, because while Fig. 1A or 2A shows that the printed channels remain intact after laminated to a substrate, neither photograph shows the formed channel surface is "recessed" relative to the surface of the adhesive layer, and appear to be read upon by prior art (e.g., Rusincovitch et al. (US Pat. 5676787), see Office action mailed 4/26/2002, pages 4-5, bridging paragraph) having "flush" or "protruded" printed non-adhesive channels.

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Victor S. Chang whose telephone number is 571-272-1474. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30 - 5:00.

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